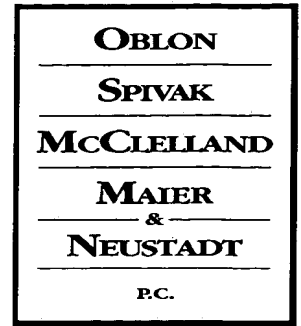




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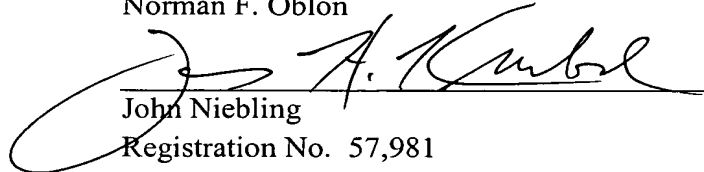
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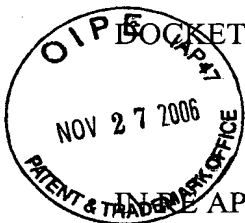

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Responsive to the Official Action dated October 27, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse, the subgenus of compounds defining formula (1) in the formula of Claim 1 wherein X is an unsubstituted or substituted lower alkylene group, G¹ is an oxygen atom, G² is a carbon atom, and R² is a group represented by formula (3).

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